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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendment in the above-referenced application.

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 21, 2006, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I, claims 1-6, 7, and 17-18 for continued examination.

In response to the requirement to elect a single disclosed species set forth in the Office Action mailed December 21, 2006, Applicant further hereby provisionally elects PSA1 as a polymer, carboxyl as a negatively charged moiety, and antihistamine as an anti-allergy medicament.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.